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46884-5254-00-US**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

In re application of: Atsunori TSUJI et al.

Application No.: 10/719,062

Filed: November 24, 2003

For: METHOD OF INTRODUCING A SUBSTANCE INTO PLANT TISSUE

Art Unit: 1655

Examiner: Susan B. McCormick-Ewoldt

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

| | Large Entity | Small Entity |
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| | One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 120 | \$ 60 |
| | Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ 450 | \$ 225 |
| XX | Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020 | \$ 510 |
| | Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 | \$ 795 |
| | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2160 | \$1080 |

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

XX A check in the amount of \$900.00 is enclosed. (A one-month extension and fee of \$120.00 was previously filed on February 21, 2006).

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

XX The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0573. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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| | Applicant/inventor |
| | assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). |
| | attorney or agent of record. |
| X | Attorney or agent of record under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a): |

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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

X Total of one (1) forms are submitted.

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